

**METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR RECOVERING AND
RECYCLING TOBACCO DUST**

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

1 Tobacco dust which develops in a machine or pro-
2 duction line for the making of smokers' products is put
3 to use in that it is gathered and agglomerated into
4 particles having or exceeding a required size. Metered
5 quantities of such particles are admitted into a stream
6 of fragmentized tobacco leaves before the stream is
7 draped into a web of cigarette paper or the like.